गई है। पात्र पाए गए आवेदनों को समिति के समक्ष इसकी अगली बैठक में प्रस्तुत किए जाएंगे।

(ग) उपर्युक्त "क" के अनुसार।

(घ) समिति के निर्णय के अनुसार आबंटन किए जाएंगे।

(ङ) दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण ने शारीरिक रूप से विकलांग व्यक्तियों को आबंटन हेतु मार्गनिर्देश निर्धारित किए हैं।

Construction of under bridges near Wazirpur

3996. SHRI SYED SIBTEY RAZI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether some under-bridge is under construction near Wazirpur Industrial area and Ashok Vihar;

(b) if so, when the foundation stone was laid and actual construction started on this project;

(c) what was the estimated expenditure when the project was approved;

(d) what expenditure has been incurred till date on this project;

(e) what progress has been made on this project so far;

(f) whether any target was fixed for completion of work on this project;

(g) if so, details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(h) what steps are proposed to be taken to ensure timely completion of this project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) MCD reports that the foundation stone was laid on 26.3.89 and the construction started on 20.3.90.

(c) The original estimated cost of the project when it was approved was Rs. 297.82 lacs.

(d) The upto date expenditure on the project is Rs. 225 lacs (Approximately).

(e) The construction of approaches on either side of the under bridge which are under construction by MCD, is nearly 90% complete and the work is in progress. The work on the under bridge proper by the Railways is also in progress.

(f) The original target date for completion of the approaches by MCD was 20th March, 1991.

(g) and (h) There has been delay in the completion of the work on account of shifting of various underground services by the concerned services departments like M.T.N.L., D.E.S.U. *Water Supply & Sewage Disposal* Undertaking and due to shifting of jhuggies which were affected in the alignment of the bridge and its approaches. Some of the underground services are yet to be shifted by MTNL and DESU and some jhuggies still require shifting/removal. Efforts are being made to tackle these hinderences to complete the remaining work at the earliest possible.

Settlement of disputes of court cases

3997. DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI,
DR. NAUNIHAL SINGH:
SHRI TRILOKI NATH CHATURVEDI:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMNENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons who have applied for out of court settlement of disputes in response to the advertisement given by the Delhi Development Authority;

(b) the number of cases which have been settled so far;

(c) whether it is a fact that in most of the cases Delhi Development Authority has not even acknowledged the representations; if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the names of the owners of Tagore Garden, B-Block Shopping Complex who had obtained stay from High Court of Delhi and applied for out of court settlement in response to the above advertisement;

(e) what action has been taken thereon in each case; and

(f) by when all the cases are likely to be disposed of?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM):

(a) DDA has reported that—

211 (two hundred eleven only) persons have applied for out-of court settlement of disputes in esponse to the advertisement given by Delhi Development Authority.

(b) Three cases have been withdrawn from the court. In 25 other cases final decision has already been taken by Delhi Development Authority on the request for out-of-court settlement.

(c) DDA reports that it is not correct. The acknowledgement is given by DDA on the copy of the representation for out-of-court settlement, if submitted in person, and on the A.C. Card, if the representation for out-of-court is sent by Regd. post A.D. There is no practice of DDA sending separate letters acknowledging receipt of the representations for out-of-court settlement. All the representations are duly entered by DDA in a register and proper record is maintained.

(d) Shri Amar Nath and Shri Tirath Ram Sharma have applied to DDA for out-of-court settlement of the court case relating to plot No. B-22, Tagore Garden Shopping Complex, in response to the advertisement given by DDA.

(e) The representations made by Shri Amar Nath Sharma and Shri Tirath Ram Sharma in respect of plot No. B-22, Tagore Garden Shopping Complex are under consideration on the DDA.

(f) It is not possible to fix any time limit for final disposal of all the cases.

Shortage of drinking water in the country

3998. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether provision of drinking water has filled for short of the targets even after completion of the Water Decade;

(b) if so, what was the target fixed for 1990-91, 1991-92 and 1992-93 and what has been achievements during the above period; and

(c) what are the reasons for the failure and the steps initiated to remedy the situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM (a) to (c) As against the decade targets of 90% for urban water supply and 85% for rural water supply, the achievements have been 85% and 87% respectively.

The shortfall in respect of urban water supply has been mainly due to shortage of funds as it is basically a State subject an there was no Central assistance for this purpose. No specific annual target had been fixed for coverage of urban water supply. However, it is envisaged to cover 100% of the urban population by the end of the Eighth Five Year Plan, subject to availability of funds.

As regards rural water supply, the